

# American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

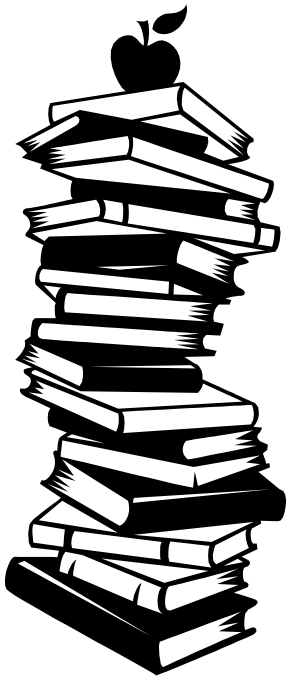
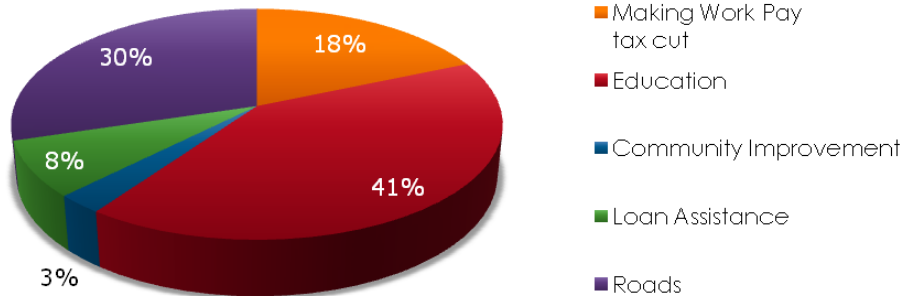
Dawson County

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## TAX CUTS

684,000 Nebraskans are benefitting from the Making Work Pay tax cut, putting \$9 million per week into Nebraskans' pockets, or \$346 million last year<sup>1</sup>. The Making Work Pay tax cut put over **\$4,810,000** back into the pockets of Dawson County residents in 2009<sup>2</sup>.

## Division of Funding in Dawson County

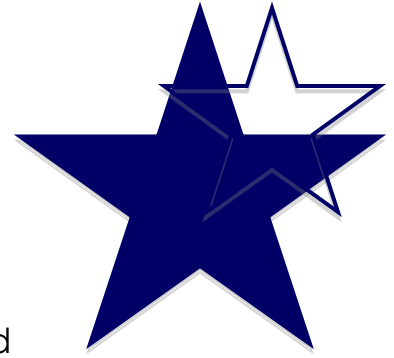


## EDUCATION

Public schools in Dawson County were saved from making further cuts to their budgets through the use of over **\$10,717,000** in Recovery Act funds, including over<sup>3</sup>:

Cozad City Public Schools	\$1,367,000
Gothenburg Public Schools	\$1,151,000
Lexington Public Schools	\$7,330,000
Overton Public Schools	\$362,000
Sumner-Eddyville-Miller Schools	\$244,000
Educational Service Unit #10*	\$263,000





## COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT \_\_\_\_\_

Community development projects in Dawson County received over **\$693,000**. These include<sup>4</sup>:



### Housing

- \$61,000 - Cozad Housing Authority
- \$128,000 - Gothenburg Housing Authority
- \$145,000 - Lexington Housing Authority



### Nebraska Clean Water Revolving Fund

- \$150,000 - City of Gothenburg



### Energy Efficiency and Green Industry

- \$106,000 - Dawson County



### Law Enforcement Personnel

- \$103,000 - Dawson County

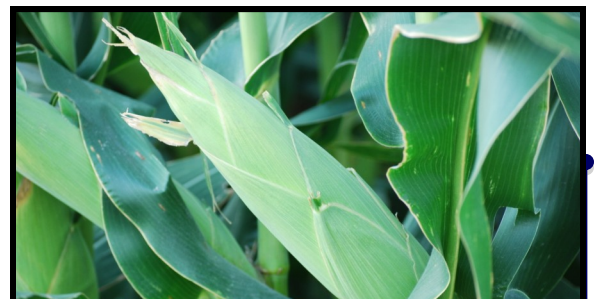
## LOAN ASSISTANCE \_\_\_\_\_

Over **\$2,082,000** in loans were awarded to individuals in Dawson County, including<sup>5</sup>:

- \$443,000 - Agricultural Credit Insurance Direct Operating Loans & Loan Subsidies
- \$1,639,000 - Rural Housing Insurance Guaranteed Loans

## FIRST TIME HOMEBUYER CREDIT \_\_\_\_\_

More than 22,000 Nebraskans benefited from the First Time Homebuyer tax credit, returning more than **\$155.8 million** to the Nebraska economy from 2008 to 2010<sup>6</sup>.



## ROADS



Interstate 80 improvement projects in Dawson County received over **\$7,720,000**. This includes over<sup>7</sup>:

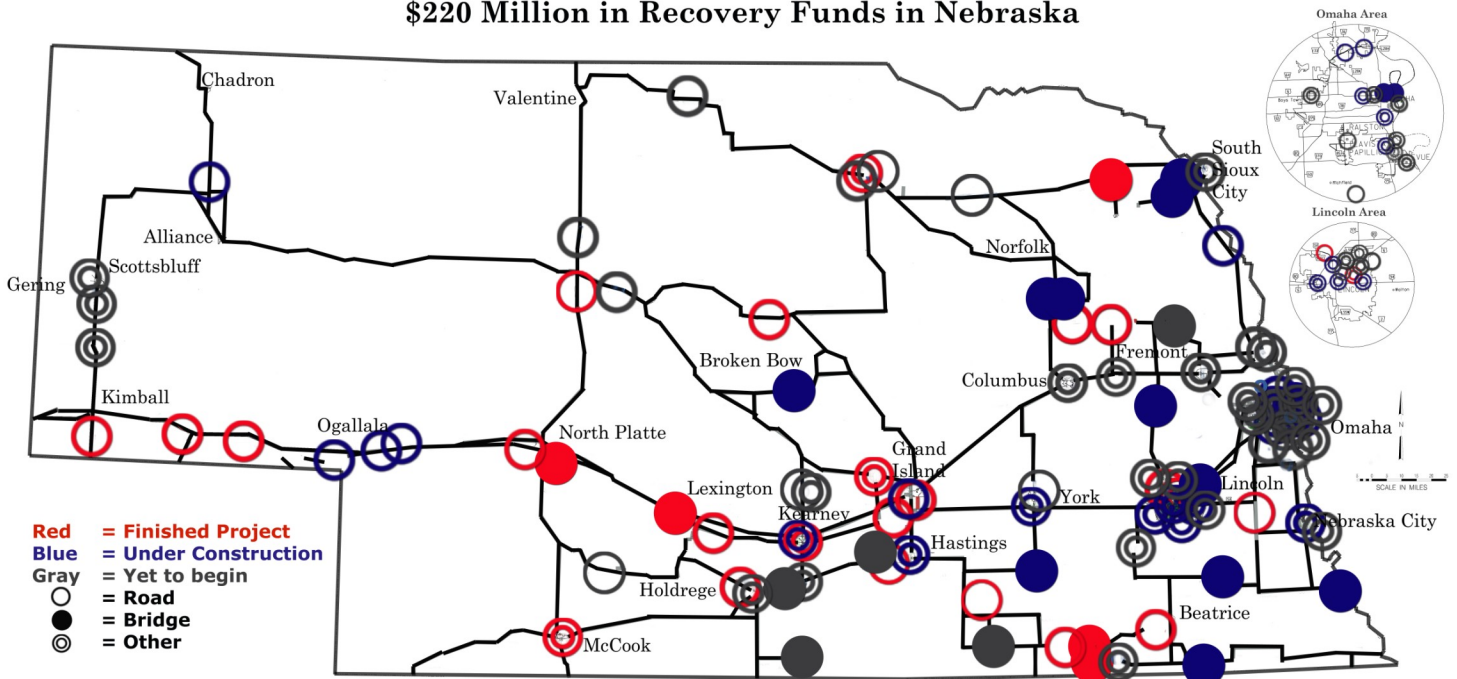


### Resurfacing

- \$1,050,000 - Darr interchange
- \$6,670,000 - Lexington to Overton

## Road Map to Recovery

\$220 Million in Recovery Funds in Nebraska



## Summary

Tax Cuts	\$4,810,000
Education	\$10,717,000
Loan Assistance	\$2,082,000
Community Improvement	\$693,000
Roads	\$7,720,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$25,968,000</b>



[www.bennelson.senate.gov/upload/recovery/Dawson.pdf](http://www.bennelson.senate.gov/upload/recovery/Dawson.pdf)

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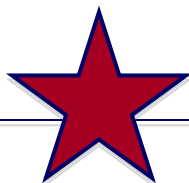
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## Endnotes

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5. "Data\_Feed.cvs," USAspending.gov, <http://www.usaspending.gov/data?carryfilters=on> (Accessed: 07/27/2010).
6. Internal Revenue Service Memo to Senator Nelson, "First Time Homebuyer Credit Volume," July 29, 2010.
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This information is current as of July 21, 2010.

\* These school districts are located in multiple counties.

